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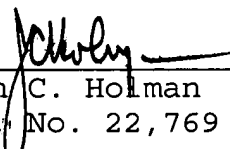
In response to the Election of Species Requirement dated March 26, 2003, applicant elects, with traverse, the species of Figure 5a with claims 6-12, 14, 18-20 and 31 being readable thereon. Claim 31 is generic to both the species of Figure 5a and Figure 5b.

It is respectfully submitted that the captioned application is in condition for examination on its merits.

Respectfully submitted,

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